

To Vendors for Request for Proposal for Bond Counsel Services:

The following questions were received from a vendor. In order to keep everyone informed, here are the questions and answers:

1. Do you anticipate extending the bid due date? **At this time, we do not intend to extend the proposal due date.**
2. What additional details are you willing to provide, if any, beyond what is stated in bid documents concerning how you will identify the winning bid? **To clarify the solicitation, this is not an invitation for bid that is awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. This solicitation is a request for proposal. As stated in the request for proposal on pages 7 and 8 of 9, item M, Evaluation Criteria, the proposals will be evaluated by the County selection committee using the following criteria: (1) Qualifications and experience of the law firm in public finance law and public finance tax law, (2) Qualifications and experience of assigned staff, in particular, experience as bond counsel for similar municipalities, (3) Proposed method and plan to provide services in a timely manner, and (4) Completeness and quality of proposal. Each evaluation criteria has a point value assigned to it that will be used when the selection committee reviews the proposals. Please refer to pages 6 and 7 of 9 item J, Award, for the method of awarding the proposal.**
3. Was this bid posted to the nationwide free bid notification website at www.mygovwatch.com/free? **No.**
4. Other than your own website, where was this bid posted? **It was posted on the Commonwealth of Virginia , eVA website on the Department of General Services central electronic procurement system, commonly known as eVA VBO.**
5. Please let us know whether you have received this email, and when and how answers will be provided. **We received your email. All answers to questions regarding the solicitation will be provided by email. The answers to questions from a vendor are sent to all vendors that we are aware of that have received a solicitation and are posted on the County website, and posted on the Commonwealth of Virginia, eVA website.**